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for World's Games.

BOSTON, September 25.—Official notice of the progress of the Braves toward capturing the National League pennant and participating in the world's series has been taken by the management of the local club. Secretary Herman E. Nickerson announces that applications for seats for world's series games that may be played here will be tabulated beginning today, and reservations made in the order of the receipt of orders.

Applications will be granted for one, two or three day allotments, with preference to those asking for tickets for three days, and for any reasonable number of seats for each game, those applying for one or two to have first call.

Detroit Gets St. Paul Catcher.

KANSAS CITY. September 25.—John Peters, a catcher for the St. Paul American Association club, announced yesterday that he had signed a 1915 contract with the Detroit American League team, by whom he was procured in the secret draft.

Arrangements are being made, according to Secretary Nickerson, by which it is hoped to circumvent schemes of speculators to secure blocks of tickets.

The first applications reached the local headquarters more than a month ago, and more than 500 were received yesterday. Beginning today an extracured in the secret draft.

Victories of Yesterday Enable Griffmen to Go Into Third Place.

ATHLETICS STRONGER THAN THE BOSTON BRAVES

But That Does Not Mean They Will Surely Win in World's

BY J. ED GRILLO.

CLEVELAND, September 25 .- The Na while the Tigers were idle made this possible. Just how long the team will be able to hold the present position is questionable. Three games remain to be played here, one today and a doubleheader Saturday. If the Naps do not show to better advantage than they

sweep here, but that is almost expecting too much. Bentley is slated to work the game today, and Saturday wave a good day, yet he was getting work the game today, and Saturday wave a good day, yet he was getting work both runners up. Gandil then done of the games, while Engel or Harper will pitch the other. The Nationals have but two games with Dettionals have but two games with Dettional hopes to gain a lead sufficient to keep the team in third place, even if it should not be successful against the Tiger's.

Comparing the two teams which seem destined to play in the next world's series, it is not hard to discover or that on paper the Mackmen absolutely outclass their rivals, the Braves, but this does not always give assurances, so far as the outcome is concerned. It will be recalled that prior went begging for supporters at the Nationals' fifth runners and White Sox met, the Comisting of the world's series, it is not hard to discover of the minth Milan's hit and steal, followed with two out and stored and Milan file out bases of the play in the next world's series, it is not hard to discove or that on paper the Mackmen absolutely outclass their rivals, the Braves, but this does not always give assurances, so far as the outcome is concerned. It will be recalled that prior went begging for supporters at the Nationals' fifth run. The experts figured, and rightly, too, that the Cubs outclassed the Sox. They surely did when the teams were compared on paper, but that fact idd not stop the Sox from winning the series of the players of each of the players of each of the players of the first of the players of each of the players of

Jim Shaw displayed brilliant form yesterday. He was called upon to stop a threatening rally in the eighth inning of the first game, when third and first were occupied and only one out, with the Nationals holding but a tworum lead. Lajole was the first man to face Shaw, and he popped up to Foster on the first ball pitched. The next ball was shot toward the plate for Graney, and he duplicated Lajole's Foster. In the second game Shaw showed to even better advantage. He was really never in danger of being scored on, and the Nap team is not weak with the stick either. Both of these games will probably be credited to Shaw, for there is no doubt that if Engel had been allowed to remain on the slab in the eighth he would have had a hard time of it. Engel also showed good form, allowing but one hit in four innings.

Lajole. 2b. Graney. If Barbare, 3b. O'Neill. c. Egan. c. Washare, 3b. O'Neill. c. Egan. c. Eg

Present indications are that neither the Braves nor the Athletics will have any advantage by reason of either being forced to the limit in their respective pennant races. Both appear to have safe margins. It is a couple of weeks before the day set for the opening of the series, and it would not be surprising if both have their claim to honors cinched in time to give their regular pitchers a needed rest and get the players on edge for the big series. Mack will undoubtedly again rely principally on Bender and Plank, and, as soon as he is sure that he cannot be overhauled, he will rest these star veterans. Stallings will no doubt follow a similar plan as soon as he can afford to do so, for Rudolph, Tyler and James, his principal twirlers, have all been forced to work hard and a rest should benefit them.

John Henry and Ray Morgan have both been asked to join Connie Mack's tourist team, which is to play an all-star combination from the league through the west this fall. Neither Henry nor Morgan has as yet consented to make the trip, but it is likely that both will accept. The teams are to start west October 18 and finish their schedule a week or so before the Christmas holidays.

Manager Birmingham has about forty-odd players in camp here, and they are all breaking into the game as occa-sion arises. From what can be learned only a few of them give promise of be-ing of help to the team next season, but the chances are Birmy will take the entire band south in the spring.

BRAVES LEAVING THE WORRY BELT NEW YORK, September 25 .of the Giants in the National is inpelled to look at the schedules of trains running between

Boston and Philadelphia. The Braves need to win only eight of the afteen games re-maining on their list to cinch the pennant, for if Boston can take that number even a clean sweep by the Giants would leave the New York club one-half a game

Even if the Braves slump badly and win only one-third of their remaining games the Glants would be hard put to it to triumph, for in such a contingency they would be obliged to capture twelve out of fourteen games to finish at the top of the culations regarding the possibili-ties for beating out the Cardinals and the Cubs are much more per-tinent just now. The Cardinals are only one game behind the Giants and the Cubs are just two and a half games in the rear of

EFFECTIVE PITCHING BY SHAW GIVES NATIONALS TWO GAMES

OF DETROIT AGAIN Prevents Rally During Latter Part of First Contest, Then Blanks Cleveland in Second—Scores, 5-2 and 5-0.

By J. ED GRILLO.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, September 25.—By winning both ends of the double-header from the Naps yesterday, 5 to 2 and 5 to 0, the Nationals crawled into third place. The Griffmen played real base ball in the two contests, outfielding and outhitting their opponents. Much of the credit for the two victories belongs to Jim Shaw. He not only stopped a rally with the bases full in the eighth inning of the first game and then held the Naps in check to the end, but he shut them out in the second contest.

Griffith used four pitchers in the first game. He started with Ayers, then pitched Harper for one inning, Engel for three and a third, but at this stage Engel showed weakness and Shaw took up tionals have succeeded in regaining third, but at this stage Engel showed weakness and Shaw took up third place from the Tigers. Their dual victory over the Naps yesterday ond game.

SECOND GAME.

Other American League Games

Athletics Beat White Sox.

phia started its last series of the sea

After two men were out in the second

inning the visitors scored four runs on

National League Games.

Braves Win and Tie.

BOSTON, September 25 .- Yesterday's

darkness causing a suspension of the

inning. As New York lost to St. Louis

Timely hitting and Rudolph's good pitching gave the locals the opening

the pennant race to seven games

defeating the locals, 6 to 4.

CHICAGO, September 25 .- Philadel-

FIRST GAME.

Three singles and a sacrifice fly netted the Naps two runs in the first inning at the expense of Doc Ayers, and this lead seemed sufficient to decide inning. Moeller drew a pass, but was did yesterday there is hope of a clean the opener, for Mitchell, the Naps' star caught stealing. Then Foster walked, sweep here, but that is almost expecting too much. Bentley is slated to boys. But Mitchell did not seem to sulted in a poor throw to second which

is a tall, well built youth and gives prospects of being of much help to the Naps next season.

Manager Griffith is not yet in a position to give out the names of the two outfielders he obtained by the draft route, because he has not signed either of them. One of the youngsters has not been heard from at all, while the other one is not satisfied with the terms Griffith sent him and they are now negotiating.

Diouble play—Morram to McBride to Gandil.
Hitis—Off Ayers, 4 in 3 indings; off Harper, 1 in 1 and 1 indings; off Engel, 1 in 1 2 innings; off Mitchell, 6 in 7 innings; off Bowman, 1 in 2 innings; off Engel, 1. Hit by pitcher the Downan, 1 in 2 innings; off Engel, 1. Hit by pitcher the Downan, 1 in 2 innings; off Engel, 1. Hit by pitcher the Downan, 1 in 2 innings; off Engel, 1. Hit by pitcher the Downan, 1 in 2 innings; off Engel, 1. Hit by pitcher the Downan, 1 in 2 innings; off Engel, 1. Hit by pitcher the Downan, 1 in 2 innings; off Engel, 1. Hit by pitcher the Downan, 1 in 2 innings; off Engel, 1. Hit by pitcher the Downan, 1 in 2 innings; off Engel, 1. Hit by pitcher the Downan, 1 in 2 innings; off Engel, 1 in 3 1 innings; off Engel, 1 in 3 1 innings; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Harper, 1 in 1 inning; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Harper, 1 in 1 inning; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Harper, 1 in 1 inning; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Harper, 1 in 1 inning; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Harper, 1 in 1 inning; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Harper, 1 in 1 inning; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Harper, 1 in 1 inning; off Engel, 2 innings; off Mitchell, 8 in 7 innings; off Harper, 1 in 1 inning; off Engel, 2 innings; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Harper, 1 in 1 inning; off Engel, 2 innings; off Mitchell, 8 in 7 innings; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Harper, 1 in 1 inning; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Engel, 2 innings; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Engel, 2 innings; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Engel, 2 innings; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings; off Engel, 2 in 1 innings; off Engel, 1 in 3 innings;

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St. Louis... 76 66 .535 .539 .582
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Phila... 69 74 .483 .486 .479
Brooklyn... 68 74 .479 .483 .475
Pittsburgh... 62 78 .443 .447 .440
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AMERICAN LEAGUE.

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New York at Detroit.
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Boston at St. Louis. NATIONAL LEAGUE

Herzog Suspended Again.

BOSTON, September 25. — Manager Herzog of the Cincinnati Nationals was league yesterday that he had been susresults from Herzog's objections to a ruling by Umpire Quigley in the first game of yesterday's double-header, when Smith of Boston was allowed a home run on a ball which had been touched by a boy in the center field bleachers.

pires—Messrs. Eason and Quigley. Time of game—1 hour and 30 minutes.

Cubs and Phillies Split.

PHILADELPHIA, September 25.—
Chicago got an even break here yesters day, the visitors winning the first York lost its fifth straight game yes—

Brooklyn ... 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—3

Runs—Costello, Wagner, Myers, Daubert and Cutshaw. Left on bases—Pittsburgh, 2: Brooklyn, 6. Three-base hits—Egan and Cutshaw. Irins base on errors—Pittsburgh, 2: Brooklyn, 6. Three-base in the control of t

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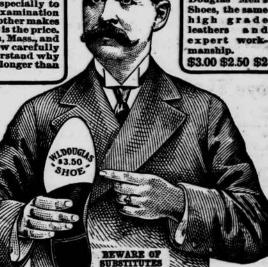
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ting out Cincinnati, 5 to 0, in the first ond, 6 to 2. in the opening contest, but despite in the opening contest, but despite features of the visitors' work. He put could not make much headway against Humphries' pitching.

In the second game Philadelphia secured the victory by knocking Pierce off the rubber in two innings. Mayer was very effective after the opening session. Scores:

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ABOUT NAPKINS!

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Septen threatened. The manager of the foot ball team has fallen into belief in new fangled ideas of sani-tation and has decreed that the old tin bucket of "Pooch" Dono-van, trainer of the eleven, shall

van, trainer of the cieven, shall be abolished.

The bucket was an institution all-embracing in its function. Players in the midst of battle were sponged from the water of the bucket, and with a fine democ-

the bucket, and with a fine democracy drank from it as well. The men rejoiced to see the bucket coming from the side lines even as Kipling's Tommien rejoiced at the advent of Gunga Din.

But now the bucket has been abolished. This season, when time out is called, Donovan will advance to the middle of the gridiron bearing a tray, and on the tray will be individual drinking glasses.